

REMARKS

Introduction:

In accordance with the foregoing, claims 21, 22 and 26 have been amended and claims 1-20 and 23 have been cancelled without prejudice or disclaimer. No new matter is being presented. Therefore, claims 21, 22 and 24-26 are pending in the application and reconsideration is respectfully requested.

Rejections under 35 U.S.C. § 112:

Claim 26 is rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 112, second paragraph. However, this claim has been amended in accordance with the Examiner's comments and, therefore, the rejection is believed to be overcome.

Interview of October 6, 2010:

The applicant wishes to thank the Examiner for the courtesy of the interview held on October 6, 2010 during which the present amendments were discussed. Although no formal agreement as to allowability of the claims was reached, it appeared as though it was informally agreed that the present amendments served to at least overcome the present rejections as the newly claimed "second printing ink" containing "a second photoinitiator and an expansion inhibitor" is not found in the combinations of the references.

Rejections under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a):

Claims 21-26 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. §103(a) as being unpatentable over Wang et al. (U.S. Patent No. 4,863,782) in view of Eby et al. (U.S. Patent No. 6,753,066) and Schmidle et al. (U.S. Patent No. 4,491,616). However, since claim 23 has been cancelled and claims 21 and 26 have been amended as mentioned above, it is believed that these rejections are overcome.

Conclusion:

It is believed that the foregoing amendments and remarks place the application in condition for allowance and an early and favorable action to that effect is respectfully requested. The Examiner is invited to contact applicant's attorney at the below listed phone number regarding this response or otherwise concerning the present application. Applicant hereby petitions for any necessary extension of time required under 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) or 1.136(b) which may be required for entry and consideration of the present Reply. If there are any additional charges with respect to this Amendment or otherwise, please charge them to Deposit Account No. 06-1130.

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